

Elm Green Newsletter



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Spring Term Issue 3



Congratulations 2C

2C recently entertained parents, teachers and children as they sang, danced and recounted tales and jokes based on their Ancient Egyptian history work in their amazing class assembly. They really entered into the spirit of the times looking stunning in their beautiful costumes. Congratulations and well done to the staff involved and all the children of 2C. It was a very busy week for 2C who also visited the synagogue in Westcliff as part of their RE studies and thoroughly enjoyed the trip that was very informative!

Class Assemblies

Parents are always warmly welcome to attend class assemblies and are invited to park on the Lower Playground for these. All class assemblies are scheduled on Tuesdays to start at 9.00am and generally last for approximately 30 minutes. Our next class assembly will be presented by 3C on Tuesday 7th February.

School Diary

Mon	6 Feb	8.15-9.15 Uniform shop open
Tues	7 Feb	3C Class Assembly
Thurs	9 Feb	KGP Cinderella Ball
Fri	10 Feb	Y5 Girls Netball Rally
HALF TERM		
Mon	20 Feb	Return from half term Class Reps Meeting Exam Week Begins
Fri	24 Feb	Y5 Parents CSSE Drop -in 8.15-9.15 Uniform shop open Y5/6 Film Night Memorial Hall
Tue	28 Feb	Bags to School 4M Class Assembly
Wed	1 Mar	Y1 to Chelmsford Museum NATIONAL OFFER DAY - Y6
Thur	2 Mar	World Book Day

Chigwell School Art Exhibition 2023

Once again Elm Green students will have their work displayed in this annual celebration of children's art work. This will be held in the Chigwell School Gallery from Saturday 25th February until Friday 17th March 2023. There will be a **private viewing for artists, friends and family on 25th February from 10.00am—1.00pm**

One piece of art work from Camilla, Grace, Jesper, Izzy R, Toby, Elle and Sarina in 6H and from William, Ethan and Daniel in 6E was selected for the exhibition. The work is in the style of Henri Matisse. Copies of the children's work is currently on display in the entrance lobby of the New Block and shows the great artistic talent and skills of our children. A special thank you to Mrs Watson who inspires and successfully encourages our children to such creative work!

World Book Day—Thursday 2 March

All children—and teachers—are invited to dress up as their favourite book character on the day. There will also be a number of other World Book Day events to enjoy

Reports of Sporting Results

On Thursday 26th January **Year 3 boys** went to a football fixture to play against Widford Lodge. We won 8-2 with Jake scoring 6 goals, Rupert and Arthur both scoring 1 goal. Jack made some amazing saves in goal and afterwards we had cake and apple juice! We enjoyed the match and they were a very nice team to play. (by Jack and Rupert-3C)

Year 3 girls had a netball match against Widford Lodge last Thursday. We won 5-3 and we had a really exciting time and the boys also won their football match. We had a wonderful time on our first fixture and enjoyed the cake and apple juice afterwards. (by Zara and Cara-3C)

Well done to **Year 6 girls** who played netball against New Hall on Friday 27th January. A big thank you to Asha, Eva, Rebecca and Danai from Year 5 who helped out the teams. We came away with two wins and a narrow defeat (by Mrs Beckerleg)

On Monday 30th January **Year 4 boys (pictured below)** went to a football fixture against Widford Lodge. Sadly we lost but luckily we had a really good time and had a lot of fun playing football. The **Y4 girls (pictured below)** played netball; they drew one match and won the others and really enjoyed the games. (by Year 4 boys)



Polite Reminders

Children are not allowed any wearable technology (e.g. fit bits) in school. We are unable to accept responsibility as these are often lost or damaged. Children will be asked to leave these in the school office for safe keeping.

Snacks

Thank you to parents who help children make healthy choices and follow the school policy on this. Please do not send crisps, chocolate, sweets or items that contain nuts; we have a number of children with allergies!

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